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On 12 May 1947, an armored regiment with an attached artillery unit arrived in Kamens (A41), replacing an infantry unit, and was still in the town at the beginning of June. The armored regiment was equipped with T-34 and Jesef Stalin tanks; light AA and AT guns and howitzers on self-propelled mounts were observed in Kamenz. in early June there

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- It was rumored in Kamens that the infantry unit which withdrew went to a location south of Bischofswerds (A40). Another rumor stated that Soviet treops stationed in the Oberlausitz would soon enter Czechoslevakia.
- Casual sources in Kamenz stated that the troops had been alerted and were waiting for a pre-arranged siren signal.
- The Units in Kamenz held nightly alarm drills during early June and "shortly after" left the town in the direction of Elstra (A40).

Comment: News similar to that in Paragraph 3 has been reported from Potsdam.)

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